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IN MEMORIAM.

A loving tribute to the memory of my dear friend, Maggie Egbert, only daughter of Andrew and Kate Egbert, who fell asleep at her home in Crab Orchard Dec. 5, 1888. Maggie was first seized with consumption a year ago, and fully aware of her condition has patiently and humbly awaited the summons of her Master.

All that loving hands and medical science could do was done to alleviate and arrest her disease, but without avail. Swiftly and surely her disease progressed and cruel death so unwelcome in any form claimed the loving Maggie. Aware that her hour of dissolution was near, she bade the grief-stricken mother to summon some loved friends, whom she had requested to robe her form for its final sleep. She spoke of her departure as if for a journey, gave minute directions as to her clothes and resting place. Then when her eyes grew dim in death, she called her family around her, bade them a final good-bye and kissing them entrusted them to so live as to meet her in Heaven. She had no fear of death and the grave had no terrors for her. She was a consistent member of the Christian Church and there and in her Sunday-school she will be missed and mourned, for no one can fill Maggie's place. At her request her beloved pastor, Rev. Jasper Livingston, preached her funeral and many loving tributes did he pay to her memory. The emotion expressed by the entire congregation gave ample evidence of how she was beloved and lamented. Her remains were followed to the grave by a large number of friends and relatives and in the old graveyard all that was mortal of our faithful friend was committed to earth, there to await the final summons of our Master.

Our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom has reached down and plucked another cherished flower from His earthly garden and transplanted it to His garden above, where loving angels will attend it.

What a consolation to her grief-stricken parents to know that although Maggie can never more come to them, that her chair will always be vacant here, they are every day making a pilgrimage nearer to her and the time is not far distant when this journey on earth, with its trials and sorrows, will end and they will greet their darling, to be parted no more in her Father's house, where there is no death nor parting.

Sleep on, dear friend, life's journey is over, the flowers will bloom above you and life stride swiftly forward, but in our hearts is a shrine devoted to thee time will never efface, and as time assuages our grief we will look back on the past and exclaim within our hearts, "He doeth all things well."

Through with earth's long toilsome journey, ere her life had but begun,
Ere her feet had grown weary
Her short pilgrimage was done,
Ere the first dew of the morning and the blush upon the rose
Had departed she was sleeping in a calm and sweet repose.
Parents, brother, weep not for her, let your voices rise in prayer,
That you may go hence to meet her, let your footsteps guide you there.
Feel assured that she awaits you, and will greet you with a smile,
And receive the consolation that she's safe with Christ e'er while.

ALICE D. P.

Preachersville, Ky.

Teachers' Meeting.

Programme of Teacher's meeting to be held at Crab Orchard on Friday night, the 25th and Saturday, 26th: Welcome Address, Miss Alice Stewart; Response, K. L. Tanner; "Awake to Effort," essay, Miss Edith Morgan; "Fitness for Teaching," Miss Maggie Lewis; "Mutual Aid," or "How May Teachers Encourage Each Other?" W. F. McClary; "Self Improvement," Miss Mittie Crow; "Influence of the Teacher's Language Upon the Pupils," N. W. Hughes; "How May the Teacher Magnify or Elevate His Profession?" Mrs. Mollie Denney; "Waking up Mind," Miss Maggie Brown; "Is a Knowledge of the Higher Branches of Study Necessary to the Success of a Teacher?" Prof. W. F. Niles; "Ignorance, a Crime in This Age," Miss Kate Bogie, Miss Mary Gormley; "The Teacher's Authority and Rights, How Protected," Rev. J. A. Bogle; "How Shall We Save the Bad Boy?" Discussion to be opened by W. F. McClary, John A. Chappell.

W. F. NILES,
Mrs. J. F. GOVER, } Com'tee.
N. W. HUGHES.

The Wisest Gift.

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This proudly boasted Mr. Brown.
"She'll be, with that upon her back,
The best-dressed dame in town."
But velvet sack or diamond ring
Can bring no balm to suffering wife.
Favorite Prescription is the thing
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FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Meal wanted at T. R. Walton's.
—B. F. Robinson sold to Pony Beazley a pair of work mules for \$265.

—Squire C. R. Bell bought of I. Shelby Tevis his stallion, Breechloader, for \$240.

—For SALE.—Car-load of strictly nice yearling cotton mules, in good order. B. W. Gaines. 4t

—For SALE.—100 bushels of nice, clean clover seed and about 20 bushels of timothy seed. Root & Carter. 4t

—D. N. Prewitt sold to El Hutchings 7 head of cotton mules at \$110 and purchased in Boyle county a lot of plug horses at \$35 to \$65.

—The sun shone through the apple trees on Christmas day, consequently we will have an abundant fruit crop next year.—Columbia Spectator.

—The Nashville authorities announce that their race meeting will begin April 29 instead of May 2, the date selected some time ago. The meeting will cover ten days.

—Last year Phil Armour's cash transactions in the beef and pork business amounted to \$55,000,000 and he slaughtered 561,189 head of cattle, 1,140,000 hogs and 164,539 sheep.

—Richard Ten Broeck says that Ormonde is the greatest racehorse he has ever seen and that second to him comes the French horse Gladiateur, winner in 1865 of the Derby and St. Leger.

—L. M. Lasley has rented the Crab Orchard race track and will train a stable of 6 or 7 horses there. He left this morning for Columbia, Mo., for his two colts there and will begin training on his return.

—The famous stock farm Lone Elm, on the Harrodsburg pike near Lexington, containing 130 acres, was sold by Claude G. Higgins to Andrew J. Leonard & Co., of Chicago, for \$23,400 equivalent to \$180 per acre.

—Brinkley & Catron, of Somerset, have bought in this and Pulaski counties a car-load of horses to ship South, at \$90 to \$150. They have also bought in the last few weeks a car-load of cotton mules for which they paid from \$98 to \$135.

—COUNTY COURT.—Capt. H. T. Bush reports about 100 head of cattle on the market yesterday, bidding slow. Those sold brought 2½ to 4 cts. A few plug horses were sold at \$45 to \$60; work mules brought \$100.

—During his three years on the Terra Cotta has won \$42,500 in stakes and purses. His sire, Harry O'Fallon stands this season for \$100. In addition to Terra Cotta he has sired such fine performers as Sam Ecker, Krupp Gun, Hevoko, Dady Max, John Davis, Harvard, O'Fallon and Heran.

—Mattingsly & Simms bought of Osborne Bros. 22 two-year-old mules for \$112. W. E. & S. A. Russell sold to A. E. Devine, of California, a car-load of registered Holstein calves at an average of \$50 each. R. J. O'Daniel & Son purchased of Henry Abell 14 fat mules, at \$115; of Ben Beaven 5 for \$108; of Ben A. Abell 11 for \$110; of Wm. Spalding 2 for \$100 each. Mackin & Hamilton shipped a car-load of hogs Friday bought in this county at \$4.55.—Lebanon Enterprise.

—King Ban, the dead premier of Dixiana, heads the yearling average in 1888, his 18 colts and fillies bringing \$49,745, which is equivalent to \$2,137.50 each. He also has the honor of siring the highest-priced colt, his son King Thomas, selling for \$38,000. All told, the lot of 126 stallions were sold at public auction in 1888, and these numbered 740 colts and fillies. The amount realized by their sale was \$475,835, a grand average of \$643.02.

The following exquisite little gem is from the pen of J. R. Richardson, editor of the Glasgow Times and one of the brightest writers in the State: "Not since 1870, when, Christmas day, the writer cracked the heels of a pair of delighted bare-feet together, went hunting with a toothless yellow dog traditionally credited with knowing a rabbit when he saw it, and was chased up a sycamore tree by a dun-colored bull, has Christmas brought with it so much of spring and so little of winter. The rabbit dog has long since passed away amid the tears of his bare-foot master; the dun-colored bull was gathered to his fathers by the business end of a shot gun years ago; from back-logs to ashes scattered to the winds, marked the fall of the sturdy sycamore-tree; many of that merry troupe of rabbit-hunters are dead; many more ought to be. All that is left is the memory of a day gloriously spent, and a too gloriously stubbed that the nail ever after refused to grow. The green Christmas makes the fat kirk-yard—and that is the end of us all."

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CRAB ORCHARD.

—All wishing to get a bargain in the millinery line will call on Mrs. E. W. Jones. She will sell at cost her elegant line of goods from now until Feb. 1st.

—Rev. J. N. Bowling preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night. He has been called by the members of this church to preach during the present year.

—My accounts are all ready for settlement and I ask those who owe me to please come forward at once and pay them. I need the money and must have it. E. W. Jones.

—Mr. W. R. Dillon sold his saw mill to John W. Gentry & Bro. for \$2,000. Mr. Gentry will soon begin sawing on Skaggs creek. Mr. Dillon goes to East Tennessee next week with the idea of locating there.

—Miss Annie, daughter of J. S. Fish, formerly of Lincoln, but now of Pineville, was married to Dr. J. M. Black, of that place, at Jellico last week. Miss Anna is well known in society here and we congratulate the fortunate young man upon having won such a lovely young lady.

—Mr. James F. Holdam and Miss Louanna James accompanied by Misses Mollie Brooks and Sabra Hays, were married in Cincinnati Tuesday. Mr. Holdam is an excellent young man while Miss Louanna is so well known here for her beauty and lovely disposition that it is useless to add more. May their union be a happy one.

—Quite a number of young people attended a hop given at the College New Year's Eve. 1888 was over and the new year far advanced before the young folks, wearied of dancing and turning their steps homeward. Among the young ladies present were Misses Maggie Holmes, Maud Pettus, Eva Buchanan, Katie James, Jennie Payne, Lettie Carson, Alice Moore, Lockie Dillor, Irene Dillon and Mrs. H. B. Farris.

—Mrs. Jos. Coffey, of Danville, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Dillon, returned home Thursday. Geo. L. James, J. W. Moore, George Harris and Wilson Dillon are in Louisville this week. Col. Jas. W. Guest, of Danville, is visiting friends here. Miss Leah Steger returned to Georgetown Tuesday. Misses Maggie and Eva Buchanan are the guests of their sister, Mrs. John Haldeman, Louisville. Mr. Will Carson left Monday to accept a position as traveling salesman for a wholesale vinegar house in Louisville. Mr. Will Brooks no longer smiles at the young ladies from behind the counters of Mr. J. W. James' store, his time as clerk having expired Jan. 1st. He leaves soon for Louisville. Miss Maggie Holmes spent several days of last week with Miss Irene Dillon, at "Honey Suckle Glen." Miss Mollie Brooks returned from Cincinnati Friday. Miss Sallie Green is visiting friends in Danville. Miss Lizzie Hiatt left Tuesday for Missouri. She will make that state her future home. Mr. Lou A. Pettus accompanied by John S. Edmonston left for Birmingham Wednesday. Misses Ida Pettus and Lettie Carson are on the sick list. Miss Kate Holman is quite low with consumption. A. W. Montgomery is convalescing.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Barton P. Simpson, of New Canton, Tenn., and Miss Kate Brown were married at London last week.

—Rev. B. A. Dawes got a handsome gold-headed umbrella as a New Year's gift from his Junction City congregation.

—Rev. Ben Helm delivered a very interesting lecture at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon on "The ways and customs of Northern China."

—Rev. John Bell Gibson will preach frequently during the year on the Sunday-school lessons, each time a week prior to the recitation of the lesson.

—The South Kentuckian says that Eld. A. P. Cobb closed his three weeks' meeting at Hopkinsville with 25 additions to the Christian church and several to other churches.

—Dr. Guerrant was offered \$3,000 a year, a parsonage and two months' vacation to go to Selma, Ala., but he preferred to remain with his Kentucky charge at \$2,400 and three months' vacation.

—Rev. R. R. Noel writes: "Please urge through the columns of your paper a full attendance at the Baptist church, Hustonville Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 12th and 13th. Business of importance on Saturday and communion on Sunday."

—The regular church meeting at the Baptist church here takes place at 2:30 p. m. next Saturday, at which time the pastor, Rev. Preston Blake, and Mr. Jno. L. Smith are expected to be present, and a full attendance at the membership is desired.

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LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—Mrs. Alice Lusk, of Hustonville, is visiting her brother, H. C. Kauffman. Several of our citizens are in Frankfort this week serving on the U. S. jury.

—Mrs. Burdett's sale of household effects last week was entirely satisfactory. The residence was offered and withdrawn. It has not passed into the hands of B. & L. Association, but she holds it yet and still offers it for sale.

—L. F. Hubble received a telegram announcing the death of his cousin, Hon. H. H. Brinkley, on the night of the 6th inst. at Somerset. Mr. Brinkley once represented the county in the legislature. He was prominent in business circles at home and was an active, generous, true man.

—"In and About" says the newspapers have been telling the editor that the Lord broke his thigh; that Brother Barnes tells him the devil did it, and the writer adds: "The fact that Col. Walton made an unguarded step on a slippery pavement seems to have escaped the notice of the opposing consoler." "In and About" seems to have forgotten what made the pavement slippery and who made the "what." Some one covered the pavement with sleet. If Col. Walton had met his misfortune by stepping upon an infernal dynamite machine, would the occurrence have been regarded simply as "an unguarded step," or would diligent search have been instituted by the authorities and the people to find the fiend who was engaged in planting dynamite devilment around on the pavements?

—There was a report last week that J. P. Sandifer, cashier of the National Bank, had tendered his resignation, to take effect on the 1st inst. This was an error. He had no thought of doing so. However, after the rotation of a few days, he determined to do so, and has tendered his resignation, to take effect to-day, and B. F. Hudson will fill his place. J. Wesley West has been selected as teller. Being one of the best accountants in the State, Mr. Sandifer has served in the double capacity of cashier and book-keeper and has labored with his accustomed energy, applying himself closely to his duties during his connection with the institution. If he has not made any mistakes he should trim his wings and take immediate flight to a better world than this. We hope he will not fly, but that he will occupy his time for a while longer on the terrestrial! In whatever line he may embark, he will have the good wishes of a host of friends.

DANVILLE.—The returns of the assessor show that Boyle has \$6,585,565 of taxable property. The engineers have found several practical routes for a track to connect us with the L. & N. either at Alum Spring or Shelby City. The Kate Bensberry Opera Co., will be here on the 14th. The Farmers National declared 3, the Citizen's 4 and the Boyle National 5 per cent. dividends. Wakefield & Lee sold to L. W. Hudson, of Garrard county, 14 aged sugar mules at \$135. Same bought of John Parks; of Paint Lick, 21 two-year-old cotton mules, 15 hands, at \$107.50. M. C. Thurman has rented the livery stable now occupied by "Tip & Harry" Bruce, on Fourth, near Main street. Tip & Harry will move to the L. fronting on Main street, which Mr. Bruce owns. D. C. Terhune and F. S. McClelland bought on Monday, 24 yearling mules for \$2,000, and one 2-year-old for \$100, of D. J. Curry & Rue. On same day they bought six yearling mules at \$87 per head, of W. S. Vanarsdall & Son.—Advocate.

—The Hannibal, Mo., Courier contains a long account of the murder by an unknown assassin of Amos J. Stillwell, a large pork packer, who removed from Marion county, Ky., to that city in 1849.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. R. Penny, Stanford, Ky.

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It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper, but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could only live a short time; she weighed less than 70 pounds. On a piece of wrapper paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery, and got a sample bottle; it helped her, she bought a large bottle it helped her more, bought another and grew better fast, continued its use and is now strong, healthy, rosy, plump weighing 140 pounds. For fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, druggist, Fort Smith. Trial bottles of this wonderful discovery free at A. R. Penny's drugstore.

Euppepsy.

This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you Good Digestion and out the Demon Dyspepsia a d install instead Euppepsy. We commend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c and \$1 per bottle by A. R. Penny's drugstore.

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(For CASH only) on the first day of January. We will sell everything Regardless of Cost.

Customers will find the reduction general throughout the stock, on the most staple as well as Winter goods. To give you an idea of the

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We will mention a few items selected at random from the various departments. (Where we mention only one quality in a line of goods we mean that all other grades will be reduced in proportion:

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All strictly Winter Goods, such as Blankets, Shawls, Cloaks, Flannels and Underwear, also Colored and Black Dress Goods, and all Dress Trimmings at

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As will be seen by getting our prices. We will sell no goods on credit during this sale, and our friends and patrons will please not ask for credit, as we cannot refuse some and credit others without giving offense, and our prices will be cut so low that we must have spot SPOT CASH. Our stock is full, fresh and well selected, and this will be the grandest opportunity ever offered the people of this section. \$20,000 worth of Bargains to select from. We use pennies and will make exact change.

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W. P. WALTON.

CONSIDERABLY disfigured and not yet able to get in the ring or out of the almost intolerable position, which we have been forced to lie in for three long weeks, we are glad to communicate with our patrons again even if we have to do so from the inelegant flat-of-the-back condition. Since it was our privilege to address them before, our readers have been told of the terrible accident that befell us on the night of Dec. 18. Rushing along on that fateful night through snow and sleet, and by the way we were going to church, we were unmindful of the toboggan slide that the town permits to be maintained in front of the Portman House, for a pavement, and in an instant our feet flew upward and down we came upon the so-called sidewalk. We felt a terrific pain in the thigh and oh, horror of horrors! had our right leg to turn completely around when we attempted to get up. Perhaps we should not have fallen but for the stiffness of the ankle not entirely recovered from the six months' siege with carbuncles, but we shall make it our duty to see that the man trap is changed before another unfortunate is forced to suffer the horrors of the damned as we have. Kind friends were soon on the ground rendering timely assistance and Drs. Peyton, Irons and Carpenter did what surgery suggested as quickly as possible. The terrors of that night and for 13 subsequent nights it is impossible to convey to one who has never similarly suffered. Unable to take opiates and chloroform producing only the shortest intervals of relief, we had to bear the unutterable anguish, without even a wink of sleep for days and nights together. But it is useless to prolong the terrible recital. So intensely susceptible to pain, owing to an extremely nervous organization, it is a surprise to us that we were able to undergo it and live to tell the tale. Then the weeks of irksome, weary waiting with no change from an unpleasant position to relieve the aches that cavorted in every bone and muscle of a pain racked body! God grant that none who read these lines may undergo such an ordeal.

As Col. Welch remarked, our affliction might be a blessing in a "very deep" disguise, so deep we may never appreciate it, but it has been instrumental in proving to us one thing—that we have more friends than we ever dreamed we had. Nearly every newspaper in the State took occasion in mentioning the accident, to give us undeserved, but nevertheless appreciated praise as a man and as a journalist, all of which, many columns together, were clipped and preserved for us, to be hoarded with affection's proudest possessions.

Then in addition to scores of letters of sympathy from relatives we have received letters or telegrams from Col. E. Polk Johnson, managing editor of the Courier-Journal, Judge M. J. Durham, first controller of the National treasury, J. Rice Brown, of Marshall Field & Co., Chicago; Gov. J. B. McCreary, our ever attentive Congressman, W. M. Hull, of the Courier-Journal, W. P. Emerson, of the Times, Col. J. G. Craddock, of the Paris Kentuckian-Citizen, John W. Yerkes, the brightest and cleverest republican in this section or any other, Capt. F. J. White, Lancaster News, James Maret, editor, Mt. Vernon, Col. A. M. Swope, Lexington, the distinguished republican who is not seeking an office and was magnanimous enough to forget some useless tilts we made at him during his late canvass, Judge M. C. Sautley, of the Wyoming Supreme Court, George A. Jones, of the Courier-Journal, Emmett G. Logan, Louisville Times, Prof. Abner Rogers, New Liberty, M. G. Cash, Meridian, Texas, and numerous others, all couched in words of tender sympathy, so dear to the suffering body and heart. Nor shall we ever forget Bro. John H. Woodcock's and Bro. Geo. O. Barnes' welcome and treasured letters of comfort till life shall be no more. Friends have come from far and near to cheer us, as many as a score or more calling in a day, while the ladies, God bless them, have kept the house literally packed with dainties made by their own willing hands for our delectation. It is worth a pretty good sized bone and considerable suffering to find out such friends, each and every one of whom will be cherished in fondest esteem as long as sweet memory holds its sway.

It has been pretty clearly demonstrated too that we are far from being as indispensable to the INTERIOR JOURNAL as our constant care and labor would indicate that we imagined we were. Our younger brother, the business manager, with but little experience in the editorial line, has shown himself fully capable of running the paper, not only to our entire satisfaction, but we believe to that of all our patrons. He will continue in full charge until we are able to resume while we will assist in the meantime as much as possible in the production of this column.

Lastly the accident has given us many hours for calm reflection, which we never embraced while health and fortune smiled. They have shown us how madly and surely we are rushing to the

devil and made us, with God's help to resolve to be a better man.

These personal matters may interest but a few of our readers. Those whom they do not will please turn to something more entertaining and excuse us for using so much space.

The resignation of the office of Public Printer and Binder by Dr. John D. Woods will take the public, not acquainted with his intentions, with great surprise, for it is a position of much honor and profit. But the doctor is getting along in years and having a sufficiency to keep him and his little family in comfort the rest of their lives, he has decided to spend his remaining days, which we hope will be long and peaceful, in the quiet and happiness of the handsome home he has built at Bowling Green. Gov. Buckner promptly filled the vacancy by doing the most popular act of his administration, that of appointing Col. E. Polk Johnson. It is no promotion for the managing editor of the great Courier-Journal to be given any other position for there are few higher, but the friends of the dear old fellow are delighted that his financial condition will be improved and he will be able to recuperate his health, so nearly destroyed by unremitting night work. His brilliant pen will not be allowed to rust for the position carries with it the editorship of the State organ. The appointment is till August, 1890, but in the meantime he can easily be elected to the following term if he desires it. The Times is authority for the statement that Mr. Harrison Robertson will succeed to the position of managing editor of the Courier-Journal.

The Richmond Register tells of the beginning of the inevitable race war which will finally demolish Berea College, a school supported by Northern so-called philanthropists, who wish to encourage and foster the education together and on the same footing of white and negro students. Heretofore they have eaten and slept together, but recently a few whites have rebelled at this and procured a separate table. A negro attempted to eat at it and a fight ensued, in which knives, pistols and clubs were brought into play. The professors succeeded in quieting the belligerents for the time, but the war is liable to break out at any hour. There are over 400 students, more than half of them negroes, and if they do come together serious indeed will be the results. It is strange that a collision has not occurred long ago.

The "Q" road officials have agreed to lift the black list from the brotherhood strikers and give them an equal show for places with others, and at last the strike inaugurated 10 months ago is about to end. This is the only concession the road has ever made and may be said to have won the fight all along the line. It has been at a fearful pecuniary cost, however, and the brotherhood is said to have lost also fully \$500,000 by it.

The Jessamine Journal announces that it was 17 years old last Friday, but what we would rather know is how old is Col. McCarty, its veteran editor. With the exception of Col. Craddock he is perhaps the oldest man in the State in years, though "just as young as he used to be" in ways. Here's hoping he may live to see his paper as old as himself and constantly, like him and whisky, improving with age.

The House is frittering away the few remaining days of its existence in filibustering over a proposed amendment to its rules. Four days have already been lost at it and the end does not yet appear in sight. More than a hundred members will never tread those halls again after March 4th and they should endeavor to leave behind them better footprints in the sands of time than they are now making.

The tobacco growers in Nicholas county have in convention assembled decided to raise no crop this year and many others are moving in the same direction. The immense crops of the last few years have driven the prices down far below the cost of production and it is time the farmers were taking steps to prevent a still further depression of the market.

The Mt. Sterling Sentinel-Democrat starts the new year as a 7-column folio, with pages cut and in every way improved. Capt. Havens can now boast the largest, as well as in a number of respects the best country paper in Kentucky.

There is one good mark to 1888's record. There were more legal hangings than in any year for a number. During the time 89 persons in the U. S. felt the halter draw with poor opinion of the law.

Even Sam Small has joined the Ohio Methodists in the effort to abolish the inaugural ball. But the ball will proceed. The rads are so happy on their return to power that they will exclaim with one accord, "On with the dance, let joy be unconfined!"

The Georgians seem disposed to return to their first love. Last year there were 100 dry to 38 wet counties. Now there are 64 wet and 74 dry.

We are indebted to that splendidly equipped printery, the Courier-Journal office, for a beautiful calendar of a most unique design.

Dr. Baker, the lively old democrat who was president of the Shelbyville McCreary Club, is a candidate for the legislature and the people of Shelby should rally to his support. He voted for Andrew Jackson in 1832 and has since been a working democrat. In a speech before the Club Convention in Louisville last June, he said it was foolish to talk about Thurman being too old for the vice-presidency. He was his senior by four years and he could ride 50 miles a day practicing his profession and at night swing the girls at the dance with the youngest of them.

In the anguish of the last few weeks we have somewhat lost sight of our dear friend, "Gen." W. O. Bradley. We trust the mad desire for office has not so completely turned his head as to cause him to forget us. It would be just like humanity, however, for him to do so. The creature is apt to forget the creator when about to achieve the object of his aspirations. Sincerely we hope Harrison will give him the best in his shop and while he is "in the swim" all that we ask is he will sometimes think of us who are "in the soup" and all will be forgiven.

Referring to the fact that the Louisville Clubs will celebrate Jackson's day to-day, the Commercial thinks it a shame to arouse the shades of Old Hickory to tell them the democracy is "in the soup." Yes, but they will still have good news to tell them. The democracy is still the majority party of the country by more than 100,000 and but for the negro vote, which elected Harrison, it would be by several hundred thousand more.

The cowardly republican judge, Lilly, refuses to either hold his courts or let anybody else do so unless the governor will furnish him with a standing army to protect his worthless carcass. The governor proposed three weeks ago to send Judge Little, of Owensboro, to Lilly's circuit and hold all his courts unguarded, but the fellow has not deigned to respond. The auditor ought to refuse his claim for services he does not render.

It is stated that Blaine will be put off with the cold potato, instead of being given the premiership. In other words, that he will be sent as minister to Berlin. But no one need be deceived. Mr. Blaine is going to have what he wants from this administration, both for himself and friends. He nominated Harrison and is going to demand his reward or raise a row.

No article that we have published in many a day has been so generally reproduced as Judge M. C. Sautley's on "Woman Suffrage" as it works in Wyoming and his decided views against the evil. As the Danville Advocate remarked the Judge writes as well as he speaks, which is complement enough, and we hope he will favor us oftener in the future.

The Pennsylvania Supreme Court are to don gowns, after the manner of the U. S. Supreme Court, which apes the English judges. These gowns are supposed to add dignity to the judicial office, but a lot of old maids in measly Mother Hubbards look fully as dignified to the average beholder.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN, the Boston pugilist, has refused to test his muscle with a "nigger." John is entirely too particular. The average negro is much more entitled to decent consideration than he who is nearer a brute than a man. We hope, however, that these few lines will not reach his eye.

The Vermont legislature has passed a law giving an officer the power to search for and confiscate in any premises, vehicle, sack, trunk or other thing, any liquor he may find, on suspicion and without warrant. The bill of rights seems entirely ignored by this body of fanatics.

It is given out that the republicans have decided to confirm no more appointments of the president for postmasters or others having a stated term. This miserably partisan course is to aid Harrison in giving the spoils to the victors as soon as possible.

The news of the death of Henry C. Murrell, of Murrell, Cabell & Co., Louisville, will be received with sadness all over the State. He was an excellent gentleman, who drew to himself legions of friends wherever he went.

It is said that Foraker is about to become hopelessly insane. He has been a raving idiot for a long time and any change will be appreciated by a long-suffering public.

NEWS CONDENSED.

At New York, Wm. Mann shot his mistress and then himself.

Emma Abbott's husband, F. J. Wetherell, died suddenly at Denver.

There are 100 cotton seed oil mills in the South, capitalized at \$12,000,000.

According to the record Judge Lynch disposed of 155 individuals last year.

A snow-storm raged with great violence at Long Branch all Saturday night, doing much damage.

The first spike of the Kentucky Midland, between Frankfort and Georgetown, was driven at the former place Friday. The Mason Bros. have the contract to build it.

W. H. Anderson has been appointed chief train dispatcher of the Kentucky Central.

George C. Cohen, of Anderson, was thrown from his buggy and ran one of his ankles broken.

At New Hope, W. Va., a boiler in a steam grist mill exploded, killing four farmers and injuring others.

Robert Elder suffered the extreme penalty of the law at May's Landing, N. J., for the murder of his own father.

Mrs. Henry Goff, of Pulaski, was accidentally shot in the ankle, making amputation necessary. Dr. George Perkins performed it.

The President has withdrawn the appointment of Leon Bailey to be district attorney for Indiana and appointed Solomon Claypool.

President Huntington has proposed to the city of Lexington to build the C. & O. shops there if the city will donate \$35,000 and she will likely accept.

A Chicago court decides that a telegraph company is liable for damages, notwithstanding any statement to the contrary printed on its message forms.

Mrs. Emma Davis, a grass-widow of Harrodsburg, took morphine to kill herself because her "dear Phil" went off and left her. A stomach pump saved her.

The town of Springer, Oklahoma, was laid out Dec. 31 and Indian Territory cattlemen elected officers. December 15 the population was 50, December 31 it was 5,000.

Gov. Buckner has refused to pardon George Letcher, the degenerate son of a good family, who was sent to the penitentiary for five years for fraudulently obtaining money.

Joseph Anderson, brother of "Our Mary," was married last week to a daughter of Actor Lawrence Barrett. The ceremony took place in Boston and was attended with great pomp.

It is said that Wamamaker's appointment as a Cabinet officer would be resented by workingmen, for the reason that he is on the black list of all the labor organizations in the country.

At Crawfordsville, Ind., Case Arnold ate 62 raw eggs on the stage of the theatre to win a bet of several hundreds of dollars. He then offered to eat as many more, but could get no takers.

A greyhound sold at public sale in England last week for \$1,250 and Col. J. S. Hudson, of Covington, paid \$1,000 for a setter and refused \$2,000 for another. Verily the fool-killer has given up his job.

The L. & N. compromised with Miss Alams for the injuries she received in the Bardstown Junction accident by paying her \$1,525. The families of two of those killed accepted \$2,000 each for damages in full.

The story is current that the democrats of the New Jersey legislature are in such a quarrel among themselves as to threaten the election of a republican to the United States Senate, but it is likely an invention of the enemy.

Edward O. Wolcott has been nominated by the republican caucus of the Colorado Legislature to succeed Hon. Thomas N. Bowen in the United States Senate. His election is conceded and when he takes his seat he will make 31 railroad attorneys in that body.

A hundred and seventy-five persons were frozen to death in a Russian town. A railroad train was snow bound, and 14 of the passengers frozen to death, 29 others were badly frost bitten and a relief party was lost. An earthquake in Russia killed many people and destroyed much property.

Manufacturers' Record says: The value of the South's agricultural products for 1888 was about \$800,000,000, against \$571,000,000 in 1879. The value of the South's live stock is now \$575,000,000, while in 1879 it was \$391,400,000. The output of pig iron was 1,100,000 tons, against a third of that amount in 1880.

The steamer Paris C. Brown, from New Orleans for Cincinnati, struck a snag at Hermitage landing Saturday night and sank to the hurricane deck. Five of her cabin crew, two firemen and one passenger are missing. This is the ninth fatal steamboat catastrophe that has occurred in Southwestern waters within three weeks.

RICHMOND.—Twenty prisoners in the county jail. Robert H. Turner rented last January 110 acres of land for \$940 from Mrs. Patsy I. Miller's estate, and raised 1,500 barrels of corn, which he sold to the Warwick Distillery Company at \$1.50 per barrel. Tom Samuels eloped to Aberdeen with Miss Emma Millican. His first wife was also a Million, the two Millions making him by far the richest man in the county. A collision occurred between the white and black students at Berea, which promises to result seriously. Some of the whites refused to eat at the same table with the negroes and a fight ensued.—Register.

Just think of it! The disbursements for pensions during the last year constituted 31 per cent. of the total expenditures of the government for the same period, and were equivalent to 21 1-2 per cent. of the gross income of the United States. And yet there are those who say that the present administration was defeated because it was not sufficiently generous to the soldiers in this matter of pensions.—Boston Herald.

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The Stanford Baptist Church.

In a conversation with Squire M. C. Portman yesterday I asked him a few questions in reference to the Baptist church here, knowing that of all men none were better posted in reference to it than he, and that none ever did more to build it up in the years of long ago. He stated that the church was organized in November 1852, in the old Christian church building on Depot street, (that church kindly tendering their house of worship) with 12 members—Mrs. Evan Waters, Mrs. Elizabeth Bryant, Mrs. Dr. Montgomery, Mrs. Elizabeth Napier, Mrs. Andy McRoberts, Mrs. W. M. Garrett, Mrs. Betsy Nevius, Mrs. Cully and Mrs. Wright, Messrs. Joe and Elijah Robinson and M. C. Portman. The first Baptist church was built in 1838 or '39, grew in membership rapidly and in a few years was the wealthiest that had ever been in the county. The first pastor was Rev. Jesse Portman, brother of the Squire; the second Rev. Josiah Leek; third Rev. John James, an uncle of the young preacher by that name killed by a runaway horse; fourth Rev. Daniel Colgan; fifth Rev. A. W. Larnie; sixth Rev. Thomas Coleman; seventh Rev. Thomas J. Stevenson; eighth Rev. A. D. Rashi; ninth Rev. T. E. Kirtley; tenth Rev. Lansing Burrows; eleventh Rev. H. H. Harris; twelfth Rev. John M. Bruce; thirteenth Rev. P. G. Elsom. The first lot bought for the purpose of building on was where the residence of Mr. J. B. Owens now stands, but the present site of the church was finally decided on as the best location. Years and years passed after the organization before there was ever a dissection even about any small church matter and truly did the brethren dwell together in unity. In these latter days, however, the writer is aware that there have been some trivial differences, but Rev. John L. Smith, the last pastor, has left the church in good spiritual condition and the new pastor, Rev. Preston Blake, will assume the pastoral charge of the church next Sunday under the most favorable circumstances. It is the duty of each member to give him that co-operation that he deserves, and if they will do this "the world's opinion" will be in accord with the aged gentleman who wrote, "Oh, wife, I've found the model church."

HONOR THY MOTHER.—Honor the dear old mother. Time has scattered snowy flakes on her brow, plowed deep furrows in her cheeks, but is she not sweet and beautiful now? The lips are thin and shrunken, but those are the lips which have kissed many a hot tear from the childish cheeks, and they are the sweetest lips in the world. The eye is dim, yet it glows with the soft radiance that can never fade. Ah! yes, she is a dear old mother. The sands of life are nearly run out, but, feeble as she is, she will go further and reach down lower than any other upon earth. You cannot enter a prison whose bars can keep her out; you cannot mount a scaffold too high for her to reach that she may kiss and bless you in evidence of her deathless love. When the world shall despise and forsake you; when it leaves you by the wayside to perish unnoticed, the dear old mother will gather you in her arms and tell you all your virtues, until you almost forget that your soul is disfigured with vice. Love her tenderly, and cheer her declining years with holy devotion.

An absent-minded old gentleman of Sumter county, Georgia, bathed, shaved and started to the depot after his wife, who had been away on a visit. He had forgotten the time the train arrived and she met him half way home. She got into the buggy, and after greeting him affectionately, said: "I'm glad you didn't come clear to town. I should have been ashamed to ride with you." "Why?" he asked innocently. "Look at yourself," she replied. He was arrayed in his underclothing.

MEN YOU HEAR OF.

Alphonse Duudet is nearly 60 years of age, but does not look it by at least ten years.
The daughter of a Paris millionaire is soon to marry Dr. Tanner, the famous faster.
Gen. Lew Wallace is said to have received \$300,000 in royalties from his "Ben Hur." His "Fair God" has also netted him handsomely.
There are five Grand Dukes Nicholas, three Grand Dukes Michael and two Grand Dukes Alexis, Sergius, George, Alexander and Constantine.
George Gould is very fond of bicycle riding, a fancy he probably inherited from his father's habit of making things go round in Wall street, rarely ever taking a "bender."

Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria rises all the year round at 6 in the morning, but very often he is surprised by his personal attendants when sitting at his writing table as early as 4 in the morning.
Senator Stanford of California presented each of the fourteen boys employed as pages in the senate chamber at Washington with a crisp new \$5 bill, with the wish that each boy might enjoy a merry Christmas.
The conspicuous figure of the British turf of the longest standing, Judge Clark, has retired, after judging all the great English races for fifty years. Through his services of half a century there has scarcely ever been a question regarding the correctness of his decisions.
The Rev. Dr. William M. Taylor, of New York, has in his study a chair which he uses instead of riding horseback. It is moved by working two handles, and gives the rider, or the sitter, about the same motion as that of a galloping horse, only a little more violent. Dr. Taylor finds the exercise of this chair very beneficial after a long pull at his desk.

BURDETTE'S PHILOSOPHY.

PIRATES, WHEREVER THEY ARE.
Pepsin, who is a poor sailor, is dismayed to see signs of rough weather in the coming waves. "Oh, shoot the white caps!" he exclaims. "That's just what Governor Foraker says," said his uncle. "Why, has he been to sea?" "No," replied his uncle, "he hasn't been to sea, but he's heard tell of 'em."

Every two or three days people read of a daring robbery, and the account closes with the statement that "blood-hounds will be used to trail the robbers." And it may be confidently asserted that a bloodhound hasn't caught a robber during the past 800,000 years. Blood-hounds have caught runaway slaves, escaping prisoners, unarmed, half starved, weak and naked, but when it comes to trailing a train robber, bristling with "Winchesters" and "Navy" side, the bloodhound develops an intelligent sagacity that is fairly human.

SLOWER THAN CHRISTMAS.
Yes, my son, yes, Philadelphia is a slow old town—a slow, poky, checker board Quaker town. It is, as you say, an overgrown country village. One of the villagers has just given \$1,500,000 for the establishment of a free school of mechanical trades, wherein the instruction, boarding and lodging are to be free. The villager has done all this very quietly, while New York is loudly declaring what a monument she would build to the memory of Grant if somebody else would furnish the money. Oh, yes! Philadelphia is a slow town. There is no life in it. Once in a while a villager like Isaiah Williamson gets off a joke of the industrial school pattern that makes the angels laugh. But you jokes about Philadelphia, my son, make other people laugh. Yes, indeed. Got one ready now? Well, fire it off, and we'll listen to the crackling of the thorns. How cheerful they sound. Pity they don't last longer.—Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.

Three Great Men.
We had the honor of meeting Mr. Grady and Joel Chandler Harris, who lighted up our boudoir at the Kimball house for an hour or so. Harris in The Constitution says that I am a homely man. He says that the pictures of myself as compiled by McDougall are good, but softened very much by the tender feelings and kind heart of the artist.
Mr. Harris does not allow his portrait to be published. That shows that he is not utterly lost to all those finer feelings which go to make men lay over, as it were, the brute creation. Mr. Harris is a plain man, but good. He has a massive head, which he uses in thinking. Enemies have said that his hair was red. It is not. His mustache has a bright, ruddy glow on it, but his hair is not red. That is, it is not so very red.
Joel Chandler Harris is a modest man, but he is a great man, and I rise superior to all petty prejudice to so state. His causeless attack on my personal appearance can never make me so far forget the eternal principles of justice as to say that Joel Chandler is not the author of one of the best pieces of work in the modern category of literature. I care not that he has said of me that I am as plain as a swollen basswood tree from Farther India. Let those who have been blest, like Mr. Harris, with the fatal gift of beauty, hurl the first stone at me, and then let others follow in rapid succession. It matters not. I will be just. Mr. Harris has a kindly eye that looks earnestly at things which he desires to observe. In this it is assisted by the other eye, which resembles it in many respects.

Mr. Grady, I had supposed, was a very large man, about the size of Goliath of Gath, but he is not. He is rather below the medium height, with a round, jolly face of the Father McGlinchey style and two black eyes, which snarl and scintillate, as he talks, to a remarkable degree. I was also wrong about his voice. I thought from his utterances that he had a voice like Alexander the Great and could easily address a mile track without getting red in the face, but his voice is rather high, though clear and penetrating. He is a wonderful conversationalist, talking easily with a man like me and without the slightest embarrassment.—Bill Nye in New York World.

Propitious Weather.
Mrs. Hobson (just bereaved)—Must you go, Mrs. Hendricks?
Mrs. Hendricks—Yes, it is getting late. Let me assure you again of my heartfelt sympathy in the sudden and unexpected death of Mr. Hobson. Good-by. I hope you will have a pleasant day for the funeral.—The Epoch.

His Choice.
Proud Father (showing off his boy before company)—My son, which would you rather be, Shakespeare or Edison?
Little Son (after meditation)—I'd rather be Edison.
"Yes, Why?"
"Cause he ain't dead."—New York Weekly.

A Pleasant Drive.
Mother (to daughter)—Well, Celia, did you have a pleasant ride with young Mr. Slattery?
Celia—Oh, yes, mamma; and do you know that as soon as we got out of town he let me drive?—New York Sun.

Part of a Letter.

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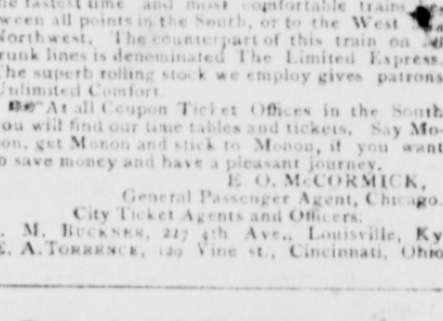
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